GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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FLIGHT OPERATIONS OF FOREIGN AIRLINES
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details and the number of foreign airlines and cargo aviation companies operating in India;

(b) the details of the airports from where these airlines are operating their flights;

(c) whether adequate security measures have been taken for the security of these airports; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

Minister of CIVIL AVIATION (Shri Ashok Gajapathi Raju Fusapati)

(a) : There are 71 (seventy one) foreign airlines and 07 (seven) cargo airlines are operating to/from India. Details are enclosed as Annexure-A.

(b) : Details of the airports are enclosed as Annexure-B.

(c) and (d): Yes Madam. Adequate security and safety measures are in place at the airports as per the international norms. Surveillance and Security are being provided through deployment of required manpower, Technical Gadgets like CCTV, Perimeter Intrusion Detection System (PIDS) installed over the perimeter wall, patrolling tracks, road ramblers, boom barriers, bollards, tyre killers, Under Vehicle Scanning System (UVSS), Licence Plate Reader (LPR). The security arrangements are reviewed and audited by security regulator Bureau of Civil Aviation Security from time to time.